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1. REF INSTRUCTIONS RECEIVED MAY 12. EMBASSY RESPONSE AT THIS TIME MUST BE PARTIAL, SELECTIVE, AND PRELIMINARY IN NATURE, BASED ON DATA OBTAINED FROM CENTRAL BUREAU OF STATISTICS, SWEDISH IRONMASTER'S ASSOCIATION, AND SWEDISH MINING ASSOCIATION. OFFICIAL AND FINAL DATA FOR 1974 FROM CENTRAL BUREAU OF STATISTICS WILL NOT BECOME AVAILABLE BEFORE SEPTEMBER AT EARLIEST.

2. PRODUCTION DATA FOR CALENDAR YEAR 1974 FOLLOWS, GIVEN IN THOUSAND METRIC TONS, EXCEPT WHERE INDICATED DIFFERENTLY:

COMMODITY	QUANTITY
FIRECLAY (ELDFASTLERA)	180
CEMENT	3,323
COPPER CONCENTRATES	168
FLUORSPAR	4
IRON ORE	36,955
FOR DIRECT USE (LUMPY AND RUN-OF-MINE)	17,027
CONCENTRATES AND NATURAL FINES	10,763
PELLETS (INCL. SMALL QUANTITY OF ROASTED PYRITE)	9,165

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PIG IRON 2,979

SPONGE IRON	197	
CRUDE STEEL	5,989	
INGOTS	4,761	
ORDINARY STEEL	4,183	
HIGH CARBON AND ALLOY STEEL		1,737
CASTINGS	1,228	
ROLLED STEEL	3,952	
LEAD CONCENTRATES		104
TALC	7	
ZINC CONCENTRATES	202	
COAL: ALL GRADES	30	
(THE FOLLOWING GIVEN IN THOUSAND CUBIC METERS)		
PETROLEUM REFINERY INPUT:		
CRUDE OIL	11,450	
OTHER (TOPPED CRUDES)	420	
PETROLEUM REFINERY OUTPUT:		
AVIATION GASOLINE (BTN 27.10.210)		0
NAPHTHA (BTN 27.10.293)	316	
MOTOR GASOLINE (BTN 27.10.220)		1,525
JET FUEL (BTN 27.10.291,420)	151	
KEROSINE (BTN 27.10.492, 499)	16	
DISTILLATE FUEL OIL (GAS OIL & DIESEL FUEL)		3,948
(BTN 27.10.511, 512)		
RESIDUAL FUEL OIL (GAS OIL & DIESEL FUEL)		3,948
(BTN 27.10.511, 512)		
RESIDUAL FUEL OIL (BTN 27.10.551,552,553,		4,634
555,556,557)		

ABOVE PETROLEUM REFINERY OUTPUT FIGURES DO NOT INCLUDE:

GASOLINE FOR PRODUCTION OF CITY GAS	90
(BTN 27.10.292)	
OTHER GASOLINE (BTN 27.10.299)	213
WHITE SPIRIT (BTN 27.10.300)	34

3. VALUE FIGURES AND ORE CONTENT OF METALS WERE NOT AVAILABLE FOR ABOVE PRODUCTS.

4. WE UNDERSTAND THAT BUREAU OF MINES HAS BEEN IN DIRECT CONTACT WITH SWEDISH OFFICIALS AND THAT PETROLEUM STATISTICS UNCLASSIFIED

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HAVE BEEN TRANSMITTED TO THAT OFFICE. EMBASSY WOULD APPRECIATE BEING KEPT INFORMED OF SUCH DIRECT CORRESPONDENCE AND REQUESTS IN ORDER TO AVOID DUPLICATION OF EFFORTS AND SOMETIMES EMBARRASMENTS. TO FACILITATE EFFORTS TO OBTAIN SWEDISH DATA, WHICH OFTEN REQUIRES SPECIAL EFFORTS BY SWEDISH SOURCES, EMBASSY REQUESTS FIVE COMPLIMENTARY COPIES OF MOST RECENT MINERALS YEARBOOK, VOL. III, TO BE TRANSMITTED TO ORGANIZATIONS SUCH AS IRONMASTERS ASSOCIATION, MINING

ASSOCIATION, STATISTICAL BUREAU, GEOLOGICAL SURVEY, ET AL.
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